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2019 Washington Total Farm Production Expenditures Down 13 Percent from Previous Year

Farm Production Expenditures in Washington are estimated at \$7.09 billion for 2019, down from \$8.19 billion in 2018. This is a 13 percent decrease from the previous year.

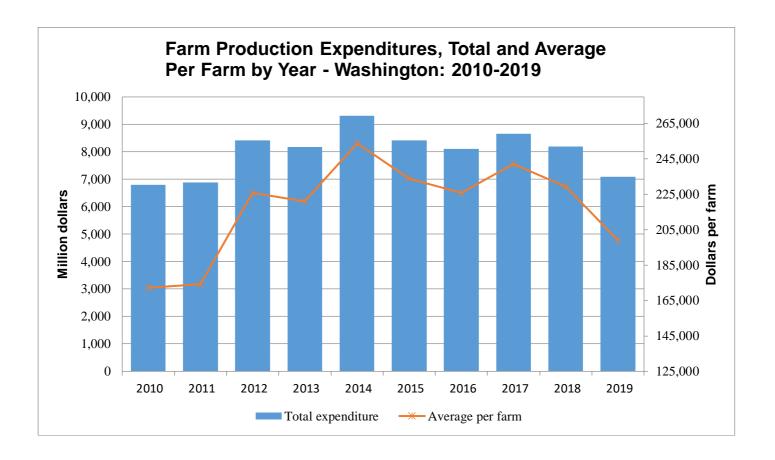
The four largest expenditures at the State level accounted for 65 percent of total expenditures in 2019. These include Labor, 31 percent; Farm Services, 19 percent; Feed, 9 percent; and Agricultural Chemicals, 6 percent.

In 2019, average total farm expenditure per farm in Washington was \$199,017 down from the previous year average of \$229,412. This is higher than the United States farm expenditure average per farm, which was \$177,564 in 2019, up 1 percent from the previous year.

Farm Production Expenditures by Farms Reporting, Average per Farm, and Total — Washington: 2018-2019

[Totals may not add due to rounding]

Expenditure	Farms reporting		Average per farm		Total expenditures	
	2018	2019	2018	2019	2018	2019
	(percent)	(percent)	(dollars)	(dollars)	(million dollars)	(million dollars)
Livestock, poultry and related expenses	35.3	28.5	6,443	4,213	230	150
Feed	51.4	56.1	24,370	17,697	870	630
Farm services	86.8	86.6	46,218	38,483	1,650	1,370
Rent	17.7	17.3	12,885	10,955	460	390
Agricultural chemicals	44.3	35.8	13,445	11,236	480	400
Fertilizer, lime and soil conditioners	41.5	36.5	10,644	9,831	380	350
Interest	27.1	23.6	4,202	3,933	150	140
Taxes	100.0	100.0	7,003	5,899	250	210
Labor	27.4	27.6	58,543	62,360	2,090	2,220
Fuel	79.6	81.6	5,882	5,197	210	185
Farm supplies and repairs	77.2	78.1	11,485	9,551	410	340
Farm improvements and construction	46.2	43.8	11,204	5,618	400	200
Tractors and self-propelled farm machinery	10.7	9.7	4,202	4,213	150	150
Other farm machinery	9.7	7.0	2,101	1,404	75	50
Seeds and plants	35.6	24.8	8,683	7,022	310	250
Trucks and autos	10.4	9.7	1,681	1,264	60	45
Miscellaneous capital expenditures	3.1	2.1	420	140	15	5
Total farm production expenditures	100.0	100.0	229,412	199,017	8,190	7,085



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